

**Our Service Through Worship
May 20, 2018 - Pentecost**

Pastor, Dr. J. Michael Wilkins
Worship Leader, Mrs. Lucy Wilkins
Organist, Mrs. Alysyan Raymond Pianist, Mrs. Jerri Keen

At the prelude, let us prepare our hearts and minds to worship the Lord.

Welcome

Life of the Church

Prelude *There Shall Be Showers of Blessing*

Call to Worship *Holy Spirit Rain Down*

Choir

Responsive Reading

Leader: On the day of Pentecost all the Apostles were meeting together in the Upper Room. Suddenly, there was a sound from heaven like the roaring of a mighty windstorm, and it filled the house where they were sitting.

People: What looked like flames or tongues of fire appeared and settled on each of them. And everyone present was filled with the Holy Spirit.

Leader: Empowered by the Holy Spirit, Peter began to speak to the large crowd who gathered. He told them that what had been predicted by the prophet Joel had finally happened:

People: “In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit.”

Leader: Peter then shared the good news of Jesus and told the crowd “everyone who calls on the Lord will be saved.” “Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day.”

People: Holy Spirit, help us to dream dreams and see visions of all that is possible for the healing of this world. In your power help us to cross the lines which divide us so that we can share the hope and peace of Jesus Christ with our world. (John 14:16 – 17; Acts 2: 1- 5; 21, 41 NLT)

Hymn # 370 *Pentecost Hymn*

Children’s Church

Beverly Saunders

(Children K- 5th grades will meet in the front of the sanctuary)

Morning Prayer

Offertory Hymn # 333 *Where The Spirit of the Lord Is*

Offertory Prayer

Dale Raymond

Offertory *God of Grace and God of Glory*

Doxology # 668 *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Anthem *For God So Loved The World* by Joseph Martin

Choir

Scripture Acts 2:1 - 11

Message “We Need Pentecost”

Invitation Hymn # 388 *Make Us One*

Benediction

Postlude *Pentecostal Power*

As a courtesy to other worshippers please remember to silence your cell phones.

*Today, the lovely flowers in the sanctuary are given by Linda Hooks,
Tal and Will Gibbs, in memory of Linda’s grandparents.*

Deacon’s Meeting

The Deacons will meet **today** immediately following the worship service.

WMU May Mission Project

Today at 2:00 pm WMU will host a tea for the residents of Lexington House. If you have an hour of your time to visit with these folks they always enjoy this time of fellowship. We still need snacks (sweet, salty or anything in between) to serve them. Please contact Patsy Paxton (463-4618) for more information.

Scholarships For High School Graduates

Today is the last day to submit your application for the Jean Hamric Memorial and Ellen Fix Howard scholarship.

Bible Readings

The Bible Readings for the week of May 21st - 25th: Monday: Luke 18:31-34, Tuesday: Luke 18:35-43, Wednesday: Luke 19:1-9, Thursday: Luke 19:10-27, Friday: Luke 19:28-48.

Central Elementary Backpack Program

A special thank you to Loretta Ballard, Carole Berger, Linda Bond, Bobbie Canfield, Linda Carter, Barbara Cash, Brenda Grose, Priscilla & Don Jamison, Gary & Carole Judy, Jerri & Clyde Keen, Carol Kirby, Jan Meador, Mary Carol Moore, Patti Roscoe, Beverly Shotwell, Jill & Wayne Straub and Gordie & Lois Valentine for their faithful dedication setting up, packing and delivering the backpacks filled with food for children at Central Elementary each week!

Mission Committee Meeting

We will meet **Tuesday, May 22nd at 5:00 pm in the backpack room** to finalize plans for our mission trip to Nickelsville, VA **July 8th - 14th**.

Church Office Closed

The church office will be closed on **Monday, May 28th** in observance of Memorial Day.

Youth Group End Of School Fellowship

Youth (6th - 12th grade) are invited to join us **Wednesday, May 30th at 5:00 pm** for an end of school fellowship! We will gather at Ben Salem Wayside (aka the Boatlock) for dinner with devotional, swimming, fishing and corn hole! Hope to see you there to celebrate the end of another school year and welcome summer! Contact Molly Kay (461-6074) for more information.

Community Vacation Bible School

Manly has been invited to participate in a Community VBS program this summer sponsored by the downtown churches (RAMA). It will be held **Monday, June 4th - Friday, June 8th from 9 am till noon at Lexington Presbyterian Church**. We need volunteers from Manly to help lead children to activities, set up snack and teach a craft. Please contact Alysyan Raymond (804-647-3727) for more information or to help out! Register online at <https://smassie.wufoo.com/forms/community-vbs-2018/>

Indoor Mission Trip Yard Sale

We will hold an indoor yard sale on **Saturday, June 2nd from 8 am till 12 pm** to help raise money for the mission trip to Nickelsville in July. Get your spring cleaning done and donate your no longer used or needed treasures to the sale! We will also have a baked goods sale (donated items are needed). **We will not be accepting clothes for the yard sale.**

Youth Car Wash Mission Trip Fundraiser

The youth will hold a donation car wash on **Saturday, June 2nd, from 9 am till noon** in the Advance Auto Auto parking lot. Please bring your car by to be washed and support these teens working so hard to raise money for the mission trip and share the love of Jesus with others!

Cake & Casserole Ministry

We began our cakes and casseroles ministry in January 2012, and since that time our team has prepared over 500 cakes for the Community Table and over 1,000 casseroles for our members to distribute with the congregation and community. Thanks to all who have contributed and especially to the faithful workers who have gotten up early on Saturday mornings to have fun in the kitchen! Help is always welcomed and appreciated. Join us **Saturday, June 9th at 9:00 am**.

Vacation Bible School

This year our Vacation Bible School will be **Sunday, July 29th thru Thursday, August 2nd from 5:30 - 8:00 pm**. Children will enjoy Bible stories, music, crafts, games, and dinner. Please mark your calendars and be in prayer as to how you can help out (leading a group, teaching a Bible story, preparing a snack, helping with crafts, music or recreation). **Please contact Beverly Saunders (460-0409) for more information.**

RARA Food Pantry

Item-of-the-month for May is cereal or oatmeal. Donations can be placed outside of the choir room. Thank You!

PRAYER CONCERNS

Requests stay on the list a month, unless the church office is asked to keep them on longer.

Pray for the Grand Bacolet Baptist Church.

Pray for the safety of all our troops.

May 20: Roger Williamson, The Halford Ryan Family

May 13: Carol Bozeman, David Campbell, Carole Berger,
Bonnie Tomlinson, Al Strecker Family

May 6: Peyton Rochelle Family, Rick Cruze, Lannie Ballard,
Carol Kirby, Laura Jones, Dot & Jim Fuller, Kristen
Swisher (Patsy Paxton's niece)

April 29: Judy Davis, Amy Woody (Nena Woody's daughter-in-law), Jeff Slone (future son-in-law of the Raymond's), Barbara Vaughan, Sylvia Loudermilk, Ann Saunders (Sherry Miller's mother), Judy Davis, Kristen Coleman (Jill Straub's daughter)

Remember Our Shut-Ins...

At Home: Jim Fuller, Julia Martin

Havenwood: Kenton Nicely

Kendal: Roberta Grist, A.P. Logan, Jr. "Cedric"

Shenandoah Health Center: Peggy Lewis

The Palmettos: Joan Huff (Apt. 132, 9415 Highway 17 Bypass
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576)

Check our website to see all the opportunities where you can be involved in the life of the church.

Opportunities For The Week May 20, 2018

Sunday	Bible Study	9:45 am
	Worship	11:00 am
	Deacon's Meeting	12:00 pm
	Praise Team Practice (Sanctuary)	12:00 pm
	WMU Tea (The Lexington House)	2:00 pm
Monday	Daisy/Brownie Girl Scout Meeting	5:00 pm
	June Newsletter Submissions Due	
Tuesday	Mission Committee Meeting (Backpack Room)	5 pm
Wednesday	Adult Choir	6:30 pm
	Praise Team Practice (Sanctuary)	7:30 pm

Sunday, May 20, 2018

Bible Study Floater - Barbara Heckman

Hall Watch - John Wranek

Offertory Prayer - Dale Raymond

Bible Study Nursery Worker - Debbie Fox & Beverly Shotwell

Worship Nursery Workers - Sharon Martin & Carole Berger

Sunday, May 27, 2018

Bible Study Floater - Carole Berger

Hall Watch - Jimmy Crowder

Offertory Prayer - Linda Hooks

Bible Study Nursery Worker - Robyn Sherman & Barbara Cash

Worship Nursery Workers - Molly Kay Moore

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